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CHIP EXPRESSION DATA

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

This is in response to the official action dated May 18, 2004, and is timely filed, as it is accompanied by a petition for an extension of time to file in the first month and the requisite fee.